

The stock market was dull and drooping, and the spe-

Subscriptions to government bonds..... 133,906

The Standard Fire Insurance Company of this city has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent, payable on demand, and an extra dividend of two and one half per cent, payable 14th instant, both free of government tax. The Pacific Fire Insurance Company will pay, 14th instant, a dividend of six per cent, free of tax. The Merchants' Insurance Company will pay their sixteenth semi annual dividend of two per cent, 15th instant, 1891.

Cashmere.—In addition to a moderate business has been done in the following amounts: 200 bales of combs; 270 bales

from this port on Monday afternoon for Savannah, touching on the way at Fortress Monroe. The following is a list of her officers:—

Captain—W. C. Pease.
First Lieutenant and Executive Officer—D. B. Hodgdon.
Second Lieutenant—W. W. Irish.
Third Lieutenant—E. W. Grell.
Boatswain—Chief, John J. Rubens; First Assistant, Jas. T. Wayson; Second Assistant, P. Kane.
Pilot—Wm. B. Fisher.

and the country disagree, so that who ever they
plains to our Pacific empire—whether the masses with the
long careers as emigrants—seeking a home in the West
or by that future emigration which is certain to follow
the gorge of the mountains—man will ever look
down from the Sierra Nevada upon the golden land of
California without thinking of Fremont.

ARMY CLOTHING.

I pass now to a new subject, that of army clothing.
The libels on this subject are as follows:—"This man
has made more money by secret partnership in army
cloth, blankets, clothing and gun contracts, than any
sharper, Jew or Gentile, in the city of New York." And

in himself, his confidence in you, his confidence in the laws. And let your verdict be the answer to all their calumnies and all the sophistries which during these few weeks have been uttered in this hall.

JUDGE MARSH'S CHARGE.

GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY.—I congratulate you, gentlemen, that this very protracted, and to you, I doubt not, fatiguing, trial is now brought so near to its close. And before proceeding any further in the case, allow me to tender to you my sincere thanks for the very remarkably punctual attention which you have given to the sittings of this court, and to the patient and attentive bearing

scope and sense and meaning in which it was published. The defendants claim, through their counsel, that they have fully justified this part of the libel, even up to the point that should satisfy you that Mr. Opyake did commit, as Mr. Gibbs, the inventor of this carbine, said, a great swindle, in making up this claim against the city. They base this upon the allegation that there was a wrong rule of damages; that the claim was founded upon a rule of damages illegal and unsustainable in law, and therefore that they were justified in making this publication. Now, it becomes my duty to state to you what the rule of law is in regard to that branch of